***The Missouri Senate Minute* Script: Transportation**

The [21st Century Missouri Transportation System Task Force](http://www.senate.mo.gov/mttf/) meets again.

This time, the panel travels to St. Louis.

Co-chair, Sen. Dave Schatz of Sullivan, says a tax increase is looking more like the only option to improve infrastructure funding…

**Schatz 1 / Runs :10 / OC: tax on diesel.**

*“Looking out for possibly a 10-year window, trying to make a determination. That’s looking at somewhere, 10-cent area, as far as the increase in this motor fuel tax — maybe with an additional tax on diesel.”*

Meanwhile, Sen. Jill Schupp of Creve Coeur says when [House Bill 130](http://www.house.mo.gov/bill.aspx?bill=HB130&year=2017&code=R) — a new law that puts into place provisions relating to transportation network companies, was debated in the Missouri Senate earlier this year, a move was made to include rental car language…

**Schupp 2 / Runs :09 / OC: category of TNC’s.**

*“Enterprise and the sponsors of those different amendments claimed that rental cars fit under the category of TNC’s.”*

She adds the final product, though, turned out well.

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